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ONTARIO CANADA.

TORONTO

Miss Winnifred Kennaley, who came up from Peterboro, on February 17th, for a visit, has secured a nice position at the Sunlight Lamp Co., on Dufferin Street, and is here for good. Peterboro may weep, but Toronto smiles all the more.

Mrs. A. W. Mason was greatly surprised recently to receive a visit from Mr. A. N. Gray, of Alberta, whose acquaintance with him dates back to thirty-seven years ago, and during this long interval they had lost track of each other until fortune's smile came their way, when they were able once more to evoke memories of the days of yesterday. Mr. Gray is a first cousin of Mrs. J. L. Ellis, of this city. His daughter, Miss Grace Gray, has gone overseas to nurse our fallen heroes on the battlefield.

Mrs. Fred J. Wheeler was in Brantford for over a week lately, visiting her sister, Mrs. J. H. Lloyd and other relatives, and reports a very pleasant time.

We are very sorry to say that Mr. George Wedderburn met with a very painful accident on February 20th, that will lay him up for a month or so. It is most fortunate that it was not as serious, as it might have been when the facts are taken into consideration. While at work at the Laidlaw Planing Mill at the corner of Bloor and Dundas Streets, he happened to be standing on a double built trestle, piling away some planks that he had veneered. As he was standing on the trestle, he momentarily felt shaky and tried to hold his balance by grabbing hold of what he thought was the protruding end of a plank, but it was some loose substance, which gave way as he grabbed it, thus precipitating him to the floor, about six or seven feet below. In falling, he landed on his hips, seriously injuring them as well as the lower part of his spine. After awhile he was able to go home and his physician was called, who discovered him to be in quite a serious shape. Of course, Mr. Wedderburn is now nicely progressing towards recovery. He expects to be reimbursed to some extent through the Employer's Compensation Act for loss of time by this enforced idleness. We hope for his recovery soon.

The birthday party given by Mr. R. S. Edwards, on February 24th, was a splendid affair in every way, and the large number of guests who were there can vouch for this. The evening was given over to all kinds of amusements. There were three games for which nice prizes were given to the successful winners. In the bean guessing contest, Mr. P. Fraser came nearest to the actual number with 975, and Mr. George Brotherton won the booby prize. There were 920 beans in all.

In the riddle contest, two first prizes were hung up for the leading gentleman and leading lady. Miss Mary O'Neil was the lucky lady with Mr. W. C. Mackay on the opposite side.

In the word-forming contest the official word was "Kitchen." Miss Donella Beatty and Mr. Wm. Watt were the winners. The rest of the evening was given up to card playing, at which there were four sets. Towards midnight delicious eatables were served around in plenty and were of the upper brand. In this pleasant task of serving, Mr. and Mrs. Edwards were nicely assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dale and the ever smiling Miss Hazel Dale, all of whom are very popular with the deaf though not deaf themselves. In departing for home, every one warmly thanked those most instrumental in making all happy that evening.

Mr. S. Goodall has just learned that his brother, Sergeant Herbert Goodall, who is a member of an English Cavalry Brigade, had lately been wounded by an accidental fall from his horse, but is not very seriously injured. Sam is now working for the Toronto Street Railway Co., whose employees threaten to strike for more pay.

The Mission Board held a special meeting, on February 27th, to make preliminary arrangements for our Bible Conference at Easter, and many details are already under way. We will hold the conference in the same way and under the

same auspices as formerly, no matter what happens. We hope to have a successful conference this year and will strain every effort to attain that mark.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Mason have just received word that their son, Private Lewis Mason, was in England on leave from the Somme from January 24th to February 4th, and while away visited the sights of old London and Folkstone.

"Great Soakes, is it true," ironically asked a bystander as he was told that Mr. R. C. Slater had suddenly and quietly left King, Ont., and gone to visit his brother in Manitoba, and we understand he intends to remain there for some time, working for his brother in a printing office. Mrs. Slater was down in this city the other day, and imparted the information to us, which was like a thunderbolt from the blue above, for Mr. Slater was in the city a short time ago, but never gave out the slightest hint of his future impending movements, hence our great surprise. We wish him every success up that way.

The weekly meeting of our knitting circle met on March 1st, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Law, and there was a good attendance. It meets every Thursday evening.

Word comes that Mr. Angus McKenzie, of Tavistock, has been appointed to the farming staff at the Belleville School for the Deaf, and entered upon his duties on the first of March. Angus is a young and thoroughly seasoned farmer and a graduate of that school. We hope he will prove his worth in his new undertaking.

Mr. Frederick Bridgen, manager of Bridgen's Limited, at Winnipeg, has arrived home to attend the bedside of his father, Mr. F. Bridgen, who is very low.

HAMILTON

Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor were in Toronto over the week end of February 24th, as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Terrell, and were present at Mr. R. S. Edwards' birthday party and enjoyed their time to the limit. While in the "Queen City," they took a side trip out to Weston to see Mr. Taylor's grandmother, who is not altogether too well. Her eighty summers are beginning to weigh on her. Mr. and Mrs. Taylor were so pleased to meet many of their friends while away.

We regret to hear of the serious illness of the father of Mr. Angus Quick, who is now in the United States, having gone South for the winter from his home in Pelee Island. We hope he will soon be himself again.

Mrs. Emil Gottlieb, of Galt, came here on February 23rd, and remained until the following day with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Montimer, and then went to spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Thomas, in Oakville.

We understand that all the deaf of this city, so far as we can find out, are well and are steadily working on, which is most gratifying, considering this time of national strife. They all regret very much to hear of the serious illness of Mr. F. Bridgen, of Toronto, for he is well liked by all here. We pray that he may recover despite his advanced age.

Our Sunday services here will likely be conducted by Mr. Arthur H. Jaffray of the Toronto Mission, on March 18th, and we are looking for a good turn out.

Mr. Carl Harris, late of Simcoe, has secured work here for the present. His wife is now with her mother in London. I. O. U.

TORONTO

During the illness of Mr. Fred Bridgin, Sr., Mr. P. Fraser has been and is still acting superintendent of the Toronto Mission to the Deaf and has been performing his duties in a most satisfactory way.

Miss Annie Patton, a deaf lady, who came to this city from Collingwood some time ago, was a welcome visitor at our Sunday meeting on March 4th, and soon made the acquaintance of many there. We hope she will come again and often.

Mrs. Senel Crawford, of Buffalo, was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Riddell and other relatives here for over a week late-

ly. We are much pleased to hear they are doing so well in the "Bison City."

Miss Margaret Girvan evidently misses her favorite cousin, Major John Girvan, an officer in a Canadian unit, who left St. Johns, N. B. on March 5th for England, enroute to the front in France. Miss Girvan's anxiety is all the more increased because the Major has to pass through the danger zone, where so many ships of late have been torpedoed and sent to their last resting place at the bottom of the ocean, but we trust he will arrive safely at his destination, and return with well earned honors by and bye.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Pagsley are certainly keeping abreast of the times. Their large home on MacDonnell Ave., which has hitherto been lighted by gas has now discarded that form of illumination, and electric lighting is now in its place, which adds more beauty and charm to the place.

Mr. Francis A. West, of Aurora, was down in our midst on March 4th. We understand his people are now living in that prosperous town, having moved there from Queensville not long ago, and Francis is the support of his mother. He was anxious to subscribe for the JOURNAL.

Mr. Gerard O'Brien was up from Peterboro, on March 7th, to witness the final Senior hockey match between the Riversides and Deutals, both of this city for the Ontario Hockey Association senior championship, and entitled to play for the Amateur Hockey championship of the world. Gerard was the guest of Mr. Fred Brown while here, both of whom are ardent hockey fans. The Deutals won by a score of 3 to 1 and the round by 5 goals to 2, thus becoming Champions.

Mr. Harry E. Groom was at the station on March 3d ready to leave on mission work in Kitchener and New Hamburg when word came at the last minute, asking to postpone his trip until later on account of a bereavement up that way.

Mrs. Vernon Woodward, of St. Williams, was in the city recently on her way home after a visit to her mother in Acton, who was very ill, but is now some better. In making train connections here for home she had quite a long wait on account of the demoralized train service at that time, due to the raging storm, but after all she got safely home at two in the morning, instead of ten P. M.

Our friend, Mr. Roy Tretheway, of Peterboro, who recently secured work at Hope's fireproof sash and door factory, has left that place on his own account, and is now working in the Peterboro Canoe Factory, and we hope he will like it.

Mr. P. Frase, our acting Superintendent, has started to teach a number of our young boys the grace and symmetry of signing the Lord's Prayer and the Creed after the regular meeting of our Bible Class every Wednesday evening, at Afton Hall. This seems to bear fruit judging by the way some are so adept at such practice. They are being thoroughly seasoned in this good work for their spiritual benefit.

Mr. Samuel Pagsley's nephew Sergeant Harold Chute, who left for the battle line last year has now returned home, an invalid having been seriously wounded while fighting at the front.

Mr. Francis E. Doyle was lately out on a visit to friends in Clinton for a few days and judging by the smile he wore on arriving home we presume he had a better time than the ordinary.

Mr. Lewis Ireland quietly slipped away to Hamilton for the week end of March 4th, and reports a very good time. What's the attraction out there, Lewis! His brother of Detroit was here visiting relatives at the same time.

Mrs. A. W. Mason now proudly carries a handsome and neatly carved cane where ever he goes, which reminds of Howard, his youngest son's affection for him. It was the later who gave it to him. Mr. Mason, beside having a son, Lewis, at the front, also boasts of having six nephews on the firing line. Mrs. Alex. Buchan and her sister, Mrs. Wedderburn have also five nephews at the theatre of war, their sister in the old country living four boys and their brother one son. They are certainly doing their bit.

Mr. David Lawrence, who has been working for Crumpsey's Produce Co. all winter has now gone back to his former job at Hancock's Lumber Co., where he expects to stay all summer.

Miss Pearl E. Roberts of Jarvis, youngest sister, of Mr. H. W. Roberts of this city was quietly married on March 10th to Mr. Ben. Johnson, a wealthy young farmer of Jarvis and they spent part of their honeymoon with their brother and other relatives here.

I. O. U.

Zenoisms.

A deaf-mute who is captivated by a girl reciting a poem in the lecture room, usually does not know that the same white arms can deliver a certain lecture elsewhere.

Some deaf become round-shouldered with the belief that they should have been elected N. A. D. president long ago.

Demure-looking girls often prove to be the worst grimace makers when they get interested in you.

A deaf-mute who can put up beautiful sob signs for the benefit of a church bazaar, can often pull snarl signs at home.

A deaf-mute who strikes up a 2.10 gait in running after the secretaryship of a society, generally shuffles his feet on the floor when his wife tells him to wash dishes.

When talent is failing, the capture of one or two impostors will often clinch the chances of a chronic if-not-why-not yeller.

You cannot keep a deaf-mute down as long as the preacher of his town occasionally invites him to take his place in the pulpit.

Give a deaf woman a clue, and she will help you to quit evil habits without swearing off.

The little chap who works for the N. A. D., generally has more enthusiasm than cash.

The deaf who bury the hatchet, generally let the handle stick out of the ground.

If you cannot improve somebody else's morals, it helps some to improve your own.

Many a common deaf-mute sees finer signs in his mirror than he sees in the standardized Nad movies.

It requires a very pious deaf clergyman to pass a deaf-mute's vineyard without displaying interest.

The deaf husband who has an uneasy wife and a \$3,000 automobile, easily cultivates the virtue of tranquility when he is his own chauffeur.

What some deaf lack in the way of brains, they can make up in a howl every day at noon around the Donahue Fountain.

When witnessing the absurdities of a "Native Son," we sometimes wonder why Abbe de l'Epee, as a Jansenist, questioned the church's infallible opinion about the deaf.

A knock against Federation is never a boost unless Federation is worth boosting.

The fellow who is the uneasiest about oralism, somehow never loses sleep over what is happening to others' children.

Only the devil knows which deaf are good enough to be F. S. D. members.

Try and live so that the F. S. D. will not be better when you die.

When we see some moving pictures, we are glad the actors are not deaf-mutes.

When we realize how pleasant gossip is, in truth, to ourselves, we cannot blame two deaf women for lying so abominably to each other.

No deaf-mute ever admits that he thinks much of the F. S. D. when he cannot join it.

Ambition for a Nad office, which gives a fellow a feeling like that produced by an overdose of the other fellow's new wife's biscuits, is the real thing.

It is better to listen to a deaf guest at table whom you dislike, than to see him empty the dish of olives by his side.

The deaf-mute, who suggests a remedy for every Nad ill, is generally not the old member who has been to every Nad convention.

A honorable deaf-mute is not made by any educational method—combined, manual or oral—or by any elective system—primary, regular, secret, open, limited, real or bogus.

When a deaf-mute wakes to the fact that he has had enough of a Nad special meeting, he, of course, had too much of it.

A deaf wife can make a husband round-shouldered by crooking her own forefinger in asking too many questions.

If all our prayers were answered, the sign-language would be the only language spoken in heaven.

When adversity gives us a real whack, we can forget whether the N. A. D. has a million dollar fund or none.

You can tell a girl's opinion of her own signs by the length of her sleeves.

The convention mark often hides the pinched face which lived on bread and tea at home.

The deaf mute who opens his arms to spread a scandal, is just as bad as the one who closes them together to start it.

Of course, it is better to second notions as a Plato at every convention than to preside as a Zeno only once in a life time.

The deaf man who imagines that the devil is his attorney when he calls himself Anti-Zeno, is sure to find out that the devil does not think much of the English that he writes.

There is no war dog so fierce as the fellow who does not know that other fellows know so much about him.

The horn of plenty always seems to turn the small end toward a lot of us, as the greatest ever convention approaches.

You can never convince a member who gets the most attention at a convention, that its report ought not to be published within two weeks.

ZENO.

Most Valuable Sense.

EDITOR, JOURNAL:—A copy of the JOURNAL of February 15 was handed me by the father of two girl pupils at Fanwood.

I was interested in reading Mr. Boxley's article, taking an opposite view to that of the "Travellers Standard."

Taking into account Mr. Boxley's experience as a workingman, his opinion and theories must be discounted. His references to two Green Island workmen employed as carpenters in the repair shop of the United Traction Company in Albany, carries no weight, as reference to them is a departure from the point at issue, which is, "Which one of the five senses is most valuable from a safety standpoint?" The Traveller says that any body of workmen would say sight, and that hearing comes next.

What body of competent deaf-mutes would disagree with that? I should not care to make a case of the two workmen referred to, as their work is not such as to make a case that would fit the article by the Travellers Standard, as they are not subjected to any special dangers.

It is evident to me that Mr. Boxley's real purpose is to antagonize, and disagree with the unions but comment is unnecessary.

To come to the point at issue, my own employment as a coremaker on the cylinder floor in the foundry of the American Locomotive Company in Schenectady, would make a fit case. To make your readers understand, I will give a simple detail of how cores are made.

Shovel sand into a core box, ram down with a rammer, put in rods lengthwise and crosswise, and stick them in straight; put in rods with hooks at each end with rods in through the hook end of one end of the hook, and which will be imbedded in the core. The other end of hook will be dug out of the core and will be used as a hook to hoist and lower the core into the mold. Rods must be put in according to the shape of the core box. Having rodded the bottom, more sand is put in and rammed, and then more rods, and the core must be vented as an escape for gases while the molten iron is

being poured into the mold. When the box is filled up, the top is struck off and smoothed down with a trowel. Then big heavy plates which no man can lift, is put on and fastened down with clamps and turned over, with the help of an electric travelling crane, the clamps taken off and the box pounded with a heavy wooden mallet to loosen the core inside, then the box is taken off with the help of the crane and several men. The core is slicked down and given a coat of core wash or facing, and then hoisted by the cranes and lowered on a car which is pushed into ovens where the cores are baked.

In the morning they are taken out and put in the molds.

Now to come to the main point, which is most valuable of the five senses from a safety standpoint, sight or hearing.

I am willing to wager dollars to doughnuts with Mr. Boxley that he is wrong and the Travellers Standard is right.

Sound, as everybody knows, travels upwards not downwards. Likewise the sense of feeling travels upwards, not downwards. The deaf man can feel any jarring or rumbling under him or on a level with him, but he does not feel it if it is overhead, as in a foundry.

The men where I work must have their eyes with them. It is easy enough to be on the lookout and take care from being hit by anything on the ground, to dodge men swinging a hammer or a mallet, and to get out of the way when a core box is being turned, but we cannot keep our eyes on the ground at our work and what is going on overhead at the same time. One has got to get out of the way of the cranes. None but a fool will stand under a crane hoisting a heavy weight of several hundred or several thousand pounds. A link in the chain is liable to break or the chain slip, or a core with hooks not properly fastened down may pull out, a rope may break, a clamp get loose, or a man may stand where he should not, or have his foot where it should not be. Hearing men are liable to get hurt just as much as I am. They cannot hear everything and see everything at the same time. There are two crane followers to every crane, whose duty is to attach the chains to cores, plates, or other heavy objects that are to be hoisted and moved. They follow the crane and if need be give warning. The crane-men also must be on the lookout, and steer their loads so that they will not strike the men on the ground who may not be on the lookout.

I agree with the Travellers Standard in every particular, and see no reason why Mr. Boxley should push himself forward against such expert knowledge as given by their article. He should make a strategic retreat to a previously prepared position.

PHILIP MORIN.

St. Thomas Mission for the Deaf
Christ Church Cathedral, Thirteenth and Locust Streets, St. Louis, Mo.
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Mr. Thomas Marsden, Lay-Reader.
Mrs. Alice M. Andrews, Parish Visitor.
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Evening Prayer and Sermon every Sunday, 8:00 P.M.
Holy Communion and Sermon last Sunday each month, 11 A.M.
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Rev. D. E. Moylan, Pastor, 949 W. Franklin Street.
Rev. J. A. Branflick, Assistant, 1003 W. Franklin Street.

Services at Christ M. E. Church for the Deaf, Pierce Street, corner of Schroeder Street, every Sunday at 3:30 P.M. Sunday School at 9:30 P.M. Week day meetings every Thursday evening at eight o'clock, except during July and August. Holy Communion first Sunday each month. Everybody welcome.

MICHIGAN

March, the third! What a Saturday night!

Above, the eternal moon and stars, twinkling like burning candles, and below, the St. John's Episcopal Church, the dome and the clock. Deaf-mutes of all sects swarmed to the entrance. But, lo! the hall was dark. They let their eyes wander far-seekingly into the audience room. One turned on the electric light, revealing the entire place—a cold and desolate hall. "What does this mean?" asked Mr. Schneider. "No meeting!" signed Menzies. "What's become of Mr. Cook?" asked Mrs. Polk. "And the Guild president?" gestured Mrs. Maher.

"For Heaven's sake, how can this be?" went up all hands.

"Shocking!" flew the gloved fingers and an old lady waddled out. "Don't know," said Mrs. Allen, the janitress, coming from the basement.

The clock of St. John's began to strike nine. The disappointed crowd paused and wondered what had detained the president and party. What a night of unreality was theirs.

The whole story is: Mr. Cook, of Flint, sent word that he would not be able to come, and the Secretary of the Guild did not have time enough to notify the deaf community of the cancelled lecture.

Mr. Clarence Kubisch is the only lucky deaf tailor in Detroit. He finds that Detroit's muddy streets are paved with gold, so far as his business is concerned. Newly-cleaned and pressed articles of clothing are not absent from his shop long, when their owners are forced to cross the streets and sidewalks plastered with mud. His business is flourishing. He has a neat little shop at 17 Austin Place.

Chicago friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Friday, formerly of Gano, a suburb of Chicago, will be glad to know that they are doing fine and live at 535 Clements Ave., Detroit. Mr. F. J. Friday landed in Detroit from Lansing, last August, and secured a steady job at the Anderson Forge and Machine Co. Roy, their youngest son, is at the Flint School and the second son, Henry, was in Flint for a few days last week, visiting his brother, Roy. The oldest son, Frank E., is working in Detroit, living with his parents.

Miss Ella B. Stelt, while on a shopping tour, Saturday, March 3d, was unfortunate in losing her purse. The purse contained about fifteen dollars and other valuable items. Miss Stelt is one of the valuable employees at the Parke Davis Co.

Mrs. Thos. J. Concoran (Sadie Failing), is in the city, looking for a position in one of the binderies, and to be near her daughter, who is sick at a hospital. Mr. Concoran is an auto-body maker. Their home is at 62 Orchard Lake Avenue, Pontiac.

One of the Guild ladies wore a pretty clean shirt waist at the February business meeting, stating she washed it, ironed it and wore it, in less than fifteen minutes before she started. Her advice is: When you must launder a garment in a hurry, wash it as usual, then wrap it up tightly in a Turkish towel. This will soon absorb the water and make it easy to iron.

Mr. Ben. F. Ryan came to Detroit six months ago from Chicago. He is working at the Henderson Motor Co. He states he likes this city first rate. He was present at the Frats' ball, February 24th, making acquaintances among the crowd.

A newly married couple at the Frats' ball, February 24th, were Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Reidinger (Miss Grace Malliot). They are nicely settled in Detroit, as Mr. Reidinger has secured a good position. Mrs. C. J. Reidinger and Mr. Halsey Day are closely related through the marriage of the cousins. These cousins were old friends and neighbors of the Colbys, in South Haven. Mr. Halsey Day is married and has been working at the Ford Motor Co. for two years and a half.

Please be it noted by the author of the "Nadfratities," in the *Silent Worker*, that Huff certainly is already a wise lad, but he was re-acted when he counted up to "60." Mrs. C. C. C.

OHIO.

[News items for this column may be sent to our Ohio News Bureau, care of Mr. A. B. Greener, 998 Franklin Ave., Columbus, O.]

March 10, 1917.—They came, they played, but failed to win—moaning, of course, the Hoosier team, which arrived here from Cedarville Saturday noon. The team had played there the evening before and came away victorious. From reports received the Hoosiers were thought to be exceptionally strong, but soon after the game with the O. S. S. D's, it became evident that it had been overrated. However, the boys did their best throughout the game and took their defeat good naturedly. At the end of the first half the score was 24 to 2 for O. S. S. D. During the intermission for the entertainment of the crowd, and it was a large one, a series of pole-climbing was given by two sets of the younger boys. Some class yells were also gone through under the direction of the leader, Dallas Hooper. According to those familiar with the playing of the O. S. S. D's, they have shown up better in the second half of the game, but it is true, the score here added but little more. Really the O. S. S. D's had the game in the first half with good margin to spare.

The score.

O. S. S. D. (4)	Pos.	I. S. S. D. (9)
Seimons	L. F.	Gray, C. A.
Sampson, LaFontaine	R. F.	Morlock
LaFontaine, Stottler	C. Bennett, Vernard	
Vober	L. G.	Christowski
Harris, Sampson	R. G.	Archer

Field goals—Seimons, 5; Sampson, 3; LaFontaine, 9; Weber, 5; Stottler, 3; Morlock, 3; Christowski, 1. Free throws—Seimons, 4; Morlock, 5. Referee—Mr. Sanders, Otterbein University. Time of halves—twenty minutes.

After the game a social was held in honor of the visitors by the older pupils. Editor Travis left for home when the game was over, but his boys remained over until Monday morning, enjoying themselves and making friends with the boys here.

Mr. Collins S. Sawhill, of Brad-dock, Pa., came over Wednesday afternoon and is the guest of the writer's family. The steel mill in which he has been employed for the past 37 years closed down to make needed repairs, so he concluded to spend the vacation visiting his *Alma Mater* and renew acquaintance with old friends. Yesterday morning he conducted chapel service, taking for his text one of the verses that graced the chapel's walls when he was a pupil, "The Lord is my Shepherd." He spoke of his school days under Dr. G. O. Fay and the teachers then here; only three could be now greet, Dr. Patterson, Miss Feasly, and the writer. He cautioned the pupils to be diligent and secure all the education possible while the opportunity was with them, for on leaving here they would be up against a hard struggle as he himself had experienced, though when he left school he had imagined the battle would be easy. Failures had come to him, just as they would to them, but he was courageous and surmounted them. They would have the same experiences, but they must be brave if they wished to win and add honor to the school and themselves.

There was a home coming celebration of the Fourteenth Regiment O. N. G. which had been on the Mexican border since early last Fall. The exercises took place on the west front of the State House, and the whole city seemed to be out to welcome the boys back. Speeches were made by the governor and mayor of the city. Sunday school was dispensed with, and the pupils in charge of their teachers were at the State house to watch the parade and exercises, despite the cold weather.

Managers Marens and C. A. Rosebaum of the Colonial Theatre invited the whole school to be their guests, Thursday morning, and witness Mary Pickford in "A Poor Little Rich Girl." The features were a message from Governor Cox to the children in which he said he had addressed all the State wards but the deaf, and took this means to send greetings to them and wish them well, the other was an address orally by Mayor Karb, interpreted by Mr. Odebrecht. He praised the management and school in its work, and esteemed it a favor to be called upon to speak to the children.

Special music was arranged for the occasion, as Superintendent Jones had made it known that the children could feel the music. Beautiful light effects to the play were added, features, and there were frequent outbursts of applause during the show. Humorous pictures were also shown. It is needless to add that entertainment was highly appreciated, and the management of the theatre heartily thanked for its generous treat.

The mother of Mr. Samuel W. Corbett died February 20th, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Edwin Saltzgraver, of New Philadelphia, Ohio. The remains were taken to Bellaire, Ohio, and the funeral services held at the home of her son, Samuel, on the 24th, Rev. F. Hart, of the Methodist Church, of which she was a member, conducting the services. The remains were laid to rest beside those to her husband, who departed some years ago, in Bellaire Cemetery.

CHICAGO.

[News items for this column should be sent to Jesse A. Waterman, 1629 Lawrence Avenue, Chicago, Ill.]

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Witte, who have lived a number of years on the west side, have recently moved to 29 East Garfield Boulevard, where they will be near to a growing colony of deaf people.

Mrs. Rosa Lunning has just returned from a three weeks' stay in Cincinnati, O., where she was called by the death of her sister-in-law.

The home office of the National Fraternal Society of the Deaf will hereafter be located at Madison and La Salle Streets. This was necessitated by the growing business of the society, which with a membership of over 2300 and a balance of over \$100,000, naturally calls for larger quarters.

Jacob Cohen plans to return to his old job with the Ford Motor Co., at Detroit, in a week or so. When he left the Ford Co. some time ago, he intended to travel extensively in Florida and Cuba, but on account of the war, his hopes collapsed.

Mrs. F. C. Joseph has returned home from Davenport, Ia., where she visited with her deaf parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Brasher. She spent three months with them following an eventful golden wedding, December 27th, 1916. Her parents were presented a cash gift of \$118, contributed by their children, grandchildren and friends.

Herbert Kaufman, whom I have known for ten years, and who is a product of the McCowan school, has applied for membership in the Pas-a-Pas Club, with sole intention of learning the sign-language. He will find it interesting later on.

The Chicago Branch of the National League of Hard of Hearing has a good-sized membership. The headquarters are said to be in the Auditorium building, but I am not certain if it is financed by Alexander Graham Bell. Of late several have become members of the N. F. S. D., Pas-a-Pas Club, Silent Athletic Club and others. They are all welcome.

Florain Cleys, whose mother is proprietor of the North Shore Beach, says the City of Chicago has not yet leased the beach, which means his mother will still be in possession for another year. This beach has been a mecca for the silent population every summer.

About 200 Catholic deaf attended special services at the Ephphata Mission, May and 12th Streets, two Sundays ago. Rev. Fr. Mahan, S. J., officiated. After the services the deaf raised \$300 to be used towards their new club building, which is soon to be erected.

On the northwest side of Chicago there is a new public school building named the Alexander Graham Bell School, presumably in honor of the great telephone inventor, but no large contribution was received from him as was reported in a news item. This school was erected by the city. There are one or two school rooms arranged exclusively for oral instruction.

The strike of the garment workers has affected a number of our deaf ladies, who are finding difficulty in keeping pace with the high cost of living. The employers seem willing to grant certain demands, but there is a handful of socialist agitators who are scaring our straitened friends.

Harry Dorn, an enterprising grocer of Kansas City, Mo., came to Chicago two weeks ago. He is stopping at the La Salle Hotel, and plans to stay in town for a month. When he visited the Pas-a-Pas Club rooms he immediately applied for non-resident membership. Although from Missouri, he did not need to be shown.

Announcement was made at a recent Lenten service at the All Angels' Church for the Deaf, that the Episcopal Diocese had contributed over \$182,000 toward a five million dollar pension fund for aged and infirm ministers. Mrs. Hubbard, a generous financial patroness of the deaf mission, is said to have contributed a large sum to the fund. The deaf were asked to contribute their share.

A number of the local deaf have announced their intention of going to Hartford to attend the N. A. D. convention. It is likely this number will dwindle down to a very few when the time comes to start East. Those who really are going—especially those who can make a definite decision, are urged to simplify matters for the Arrangement Committees by notifying Editor Hodgson, Station M, New York.

At its meeting March 3, the members of the Pas-a-Pas Club unanimously decided to have a banquet in June, to celebrate its thirty-fifth anniversary. The date will be set, probably June 30, so as to enable deaf teachers and outsiders to attend who usually spend that part of the summer vacation in Chicago, and those who may be enroute, via Chicago, to the N. A. D. Convention at Hartford. The banquet will thus be a gathering of prominent men and women, and reputation in providing for the inner man, and the "flow of soul" promises to be an epoch-making feature.

President Waterman of the club appointed Ben. F. Frank Chairman, to whom all applications for plate covers should be addressed, or to any of the following members of the committee, Messrs. Dougherty, Morton, Gunner, Fraser, R. Long and Kingdon. All these gentlemen have been selected because of long membership, several being charter members.

Harry Szkoskie, a fifteen-year-old deaf boy, had no money. But to see the sights of Chicago he walked nearly all the way from Racine, Wis., seventy-five miles, and was found shivering at Fifth Avenue and Jackson Boulevard, Thursday night. The Central police gave him his first good meal in two days. It is presumed he is a runaway pupil of the Delavan, Wis., school.

Mr. and Mrs. William Maher and children are now located in Detroit, Mich., where Mr. Maher has secured a steady position with the Ford Motor Co.

In the correspondence department of the *Daily News*, conducted by Marion Holmes, a young deaf lady, signing "Elsie K.," wrote as follows:—

"I am a deaf girl and I have been lonely and friendless since I left school three years ago, as my affliction prevents me from making acquaintances or going out much. I should like so much to meet girls who are similarly afflicted."

Miss Holmes' answer follows:—

"There was a little club of deaf young folk started through this column about two years ago. I wonder if it is still in existence. No doubt you have read of the lip reading classes in the public schools, and if so, I hope you are attending one of them. For the benefit of those who may want to become acquainted with this young girl, I will say that her address is on the north side."

I wish to call the attention of the reverend gentlemen conducting the Catholic, Methodist, and Episcopal missions of the deaf, to this interesting case.

A bazaar and cafeteria promises to monopolize two solid days, Friday and Saturday, May 18 and 19, and the committee, which consists of an amazing list of fifty members, are making elaborate preparations to make this the biggest event ever given. The proceeds will go to the Home fund promoted by the Chicago chapter of the I. A. D. It will be held at the Parish House of the All Angels' Church for Deaf, 6122 Indiana Ave. I will keep JOURNAL readers posted from time to time.

I will be glad to write all the news that it is possible to gather in this large city, said to have over 2000 silent souls. There are various organizations and churches scattered throughout the city. To cover all of them by personal calls within a week is a difficult matter. I am going to be fair to all. If my Chicago friends will co-operate with me by sending news on a post-al, I shall appreciate it. My address is at the top of this column—thank you.

Basket Ball

Just a gentle reminder of the Clark Basket-Ball Games and Dance, March 17th, 1917, at Dr. Savage's Gymnasium, for those who have not yet seen the advertisement, and to remind those who have seen it, but may have put it out of their minds.

The games will be very interesting, and surely keen competition is looked for, inasmuch as the Lexingtons and Silent Workers are two of the greatest teams of deaf-mutes ever constructed.

The cup is to be given by the Club to the winner, and with it goes the scholarship championship of New Jersey. Also the cup will be known as the Sneyd Memorial Cup, out of respect to our deceased and esteemed member, Joseph Sneyd.

Now, gentle readers, we will know how popular Joseph Sneyd was with you all, so to show how esteemed he was, attend the games to pay homage to his memory.

Games will start promptly at 8:30, so as to give those who wish their chance to dance. Dancing before, during intermission and after games. Music will be furnished by Miss E. Merker, a talented young lady.

To avoid trouble in regards to the referee, Haberstroh, Chairman of the Committee of Arrangements, has a choice of two first-class men. Either a registered A. A. U. referee, or a former captain and coach at Columbia University, will officiate at the games.

Remember the date, March 17, 1917, and come early to avoid the crush.

COMMITTEE.

John E. Dougherty.

John E. Dougherty died at his home in Watkins, in the night of Wednesday, February 7, 1917, after a brief illness from heart trouble. The funeral services were held at the house Friday at 11 a. m.

Rev. Arthur B. Herr, Pastor of the Presbyterian Church, officiated, and the burial was in Glenwood.

John E. Dougherty was born in Binghamton, January 6th, 1848, and was a shoemaker by vocation, having been connected with the establishment of M. B. Hughey for some thirty years. He was always genial and in good spirits, and many will miss his pleasant smile of greeting. He was a great reader, and fully informed on affairs. He is survived by his wife and one brother, Thomas Dougherty of Williamsport, Pa.

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A boy baby was born to Mr. and Mrs. William O'Hara on February 1st. Mrs. O'Hara is the hearing daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Zang.

Mr. Israel Steer attended the ball of the Hebrew Deaf in New York City, on March 3d. Four other deaf from this city also attended the ball.

Mr. John F. Reed, of Camden, N. J., and a graduate of the New Jersey School for the Deaf, made his first visit to All Souls' Church for the Deaf, on Sunday, 11th inst.

A birthday party was tendered to Miss Rebecca Hellers on Saturday evening, March 10th. A very pleasant evening was spent, followed by refreshments. Among those who attended the party were Misses Loretta Haines, Mary Simpson, Rebecca Fleet, Elma Purvis, Mary Price, Rebecca Rositski and Ethel Rosenberg, and Messrs. Harry Conston, Albert W. Wolf, John A. Roach, William Brogan, William Klein, I. Rubin and Peter McCutcheon.

Mr. Oscar Williams, of Plymouth, Pa., and Mr. Joel Schwarz, of this city, have but recently joined the deaf colony in Akron, Ohio.

Miss Dorothy Sanders acted as maid of honor at the wedding of Miss Irene Milner to Mr. Norman Morse at the church of St. James' the Less, Fall of Schuylkill, on March 6th.

Among the paintings on exhibition at the Academy of Fine Arts at present is one by Mr. Will J. Quinlan, the deaf painter, of New York City.

On February 27th, Mrs. M. J. Syle, by request, appeared before the Woman's Auxiliary of St. Mary's Church, West Philadelphia, and gave an account of church work among the deaf. She was accompanied by her daughter, Miss Irene, who interpreted orally, and by Mrs. D. Specce and Mrs. J. S. Rodgers, who gave renditions of hymns. The ladies showed uncommon interest in the work.

Leonard, the younger son of Mrs. Helen E. Wilson, recently graduated from the farm school, at Woodbine, New Jersey, is now engaged at scientific farming for the Eastern Shore Nurseries, at Denton, Maryland.

Rabbi Marvin Nathan, of Beth Israel Temple, lectured before the Beth Israel Association for the Deaf, on the Feast of Purim, on Sunday—afternoon, March 11th. Miss Rose Silintzer interpreted the lecture in signs.

The second meeting of the Alumni Association of the Pennsylvania Institution for the Deaf and Dumb will be held this year. The date may shortly be announced.

At the meeting of the Board of Managers of the Pennsylvania Society for the Advancement of the Deaf next April, the date and place of the next meeting of the Society will be decided.

The next meeting of the Men's Club of All Souls' Church will be held on Tuesday evening, March 20th.

Recently Mr. William McIntyn, while playing billiards at All Souls' Parish House, shot the ball with such force that it bounded over the table and struck a radiator, damaging the ball so that it was practically useless. Then Mr. Thomas Green, who happened to possess among his earthly goods a ball like the one broken, replaced it cheerfully; but Mr. McIntyn, as if not to be outdone by Mr. Green, has since voluntarily donated a new ball. Thanks are due to both gentlemen for their voluntary action.

The Board of Managers of All Souls' Guild, the parochial organization of All Souls' Church for the Deaf, held its regular monthly meeting on Tuesday evening, March 6th.

Lutheran Mission

Divine services are held every Sunday, in New York City, at 3 P.M., in St. Luke's Church, on 42d Street, between Times Square and Eighth Avenue.

In Brooklyn, every Sunday, at 7:30 P.M., in the Parish House of St. Mark's Church, Jefferson Street and Bushwick Avenue, near Myrtle Avenue and Broadway Station.

ARTHUR BOLL, Pastor.

Ma's Tools.

At home it seems to be the rule. Pa never has the proper tool. Or knock to fix things. For the stunt that stumps ma, though you'll have to hunt.

The Easter on the table leg. Fell out. Pa said a wooden peg. Would fix it up. But ma kept mum. An' fixed it with a wad of gum.

We could scarce open our front door. It stuck so tight. An' pa be aware. He'd 'buy a plane' as big as life—Ma fixed it with a carving knife.

The bath tub drain got all clogged up. Pa balled the tub out with a 'up'—He had a dreadful learned look. Ma cleaned it with a crochet-hook.

So when my things get out of fix. Do I ask pa to mend 'em? Nix! But ma just grabs what's near at hand. An' tugs 'em up to beat the band.

—Exchange.

AKRON.

The grim reaper death has entered the little deaf community of Akron, and taken from our midst Mrs. George H. Homrighansen, who before marriage was Miss Julia Hlebak, of Cleveland, Mrs. Homrighansen died on February 23d, at 10:30 P.M., at the home of her husband's parents at Canal Dover, O., where she had been visiting for a short time. A fine baby boy died with its mother. Mr. and Mrs. Homrighansen had only been married nine months, having been united in marriage on May 20th, 1916. They had resided in Akron ever since, where Mr. Homrighansen is a valued employer at the Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company. Mrs. Homrighansen took an active part in everything pertaining to the deaf, here in Akron, along with her husband, and she was well known and highly respected by all. Her sweet disposition and quiet manners easily made friends, and she had many of them who were greatly shocked to hear of her sudden and unexpected demise.

Mr. Homrighansen and his dead wife's family and others have the heartfelt sympathy of his many friends in his great sorrow. Besides a devoted husband left to mourn are her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hlewencez, two brothers and two sisters, of Cleveland, O. Division No. 55 of the National Fraternal Society of the Deaf of Akron, O., of which Mr. Homrighansen has long been a prominent and influential member passed a resolution of sorrow and sympathy for their bereaved brother at their last regular meeting, on March 3d. A copy of the same has been sent to the bereaved and to the *Frat*.

The writer, having known Mr. Homrighansen and wife intimately for a long time, personally sympathizes with the husband, and hopes the Supreme Being in time will heal the wound unavoidably made.

Mr. A. Martin, instructor in the Goodyear Factory School for Mutes, took in the inaugural of President Wilson, March 5th. He spent several days in Washington, D. C., and reports the weather much milder than it has been here.

Mr. W. F. Durian, of Alliance, O., held one of his regular services in St. Paul's Church, on E. 1st Street, Sunday afternoon, March 4th. A large crowd was on hand to hear the popular lay-reader. After the service Mr. Durian mingled with his friends here and as usual boosted the N. A. D. right and left. Owing to his active work here in Akron the N. A. D., no doubt soon will gain many new members from the Rubber City.

Mr. A. W. Harkless, Jr., of Connoquenessing, Pa., who is one of Goodyear's expert tire finishers and a general all around good fellow has got leave from work to recuperate his health in the fresh air of Pennsylvania where he will work as a painter decorator, paperhanging and signing painting du l'g the spring on his own hook. He expects to return to Goodyear again in the future.

Mr. Harkless has hosts of friends here at Goodyear who will be sorry to see him go and will await his return with gladness.

Mr. Postmasty and Wm. Cherry paid a flying visit to their respective homes in Pennsylvania recently to visit their fathers who were ill. They are back at work again and report everything doing as well as possible in Pennsylvania.

Mr. Clifford M. Thompson, of Burley, Idaho, but who was recently located in Cleveland, has joined the Goodyear force as a chemist in the Aeronaut Department of the factory.

FANWOOD.

For the first time this year some real winter coasting was enjoyed by the pupils. A good blanket of snow falling during the week, furnished free access to sleds and a race down hill in the boys' playground. For two days the boys and girls were seen enthusiastically indulging in a time of their life; the boys coasting during recess, and the girls at other periods when excused from gym class work. The cadet officers, with the Principal's special permission, did some moonlight coasting on a frozen and glistening hill. However, the best of times do not last, and after a limited time Old Sol and the mild Spring air made small rivulets that soon drained away what we believe the final phase of winter this year.

It was the happy fortune of the older boys of Prof. Bjorlee's Eighth Male to make an instructive visit to the city office of the Government Weather Bureau, Whitehall Building, near Battery Place, Tuesday morning. Accompanied by Mrs. Bjorlee and the professor, the class made an early leave, and the morning having a clear atmosphere, all found interesting study in observing the instruments and view from the roof of the building, Mr. J. H. Kimball, of the Weather Bureau lent generous service as a guide, describing the work and handling of the delicate weather instruments. Among the wonderful exhibits given careful attention was the self-registering thermometer and barometer, which automatically notes the temperature and changes of atmospheric conditions. A fine view of New York Bay, New Jersey, Brooklyn, Governor's, Bedlow's, Ellis, Black Tom Islands, and the Metropolitan District with its towering sky-scrapers was much enjoyed.

The nomenclature of the U. S. Army rifle was the concentrating theme of the Sunday afternoon talk by Major Van Tassel, before the Cadet Officers' School. Accompanied by an army piece, the Major pointed out to the company of admiring boys, everything concerning its construction and mechanism. After his discourse, he permitted the boys individually to make a careful inspection of the weapon teaching them how it is used and handled.

Second Vice-President, Cadet Captain S. J. Guinta, of the Fanwood Literary Association, had the pleasure of introducing his teacher, Prof. Elwood A. Stevenson, who was present Saturday night with a lecture on "The Little Corporal," Napoleon Bonaparte, his biography. Mr. Stevenson's talk was of great interest from the very beginning; he possesses that distinguished personal knack of discoursing and describing, to any length, things in the sign-language, in a lucid way characteristic to only a certain few. The life story of the First Consul of France was graphically outlined, with a number of vivid anecdotes, giving life to the historical data and depicting in clear-cut illustrations the greatness of the man—his genius of mind (if there be such), his restless energy and superhuman ability. Mr. Stevenson, in his accurate descriptions noted down, pictured the period so well his audience felt taken away with him, the boys fancying themselves near the great chief viewing the battle-line. "He established kingdoms and tore them down; he set favorites upon thrones of Europe and derived these very crowns at will; his unmovable valor and personality was loved passionately in the hearts of his French troops though he himself a Corsican, but ambition, too great, too selfish, caused his fall and end." Such may be considered the summing up words of the lecture none too wisely.

Dr. Charles A. Leale, Chairman of the Instruction Committee of the Board of Directors, and an old and much-loved friend of the boys and girls, called Sunday, afternoon visiting the chapel in company of Principal Currier. There before the large gathering of the Institution's family, Dr. Leale personally complimented Cadet Principal Musician Ciavolino for his meritorious work in the art department and large drawing of Washington Crossing the Delaware on the chapel slates. He addressed the boys and girls with some well wishing advice quoting from Pope's Moral Essays: "Tis education forms the common mind, just as the twig is bent, the tree's inclined."

Principal Currier interpreted him. Prof. Thomason was on duty in the chapel, preaching two strong sermons, in which he hinted on our weakness speaking that we should make ourselves as a light-house that guides the ships at sea, so we guide those friends about us.

Our old friend, Mr. David W. Davies, who for a number of years has given faithful service in the Institution as night watchman, left us last week to take up duties elsewhere. His presence will be long missed by the friends who knew him intimately.

BASKET-BALL

To whom we gave praise last week we must again add—the boys of the

Lincoln Five. It seems with little practice they have developed a crack middle-weight combination of clever ball tossers and none the less accurate goal cagers; which line-up in union as one of the most successful and promising quintets of the younger set. Though this week's athletic activities has been very limited, aside from the daily gym classes, the boys managed to arrange a good spirited game for Sunday afternoon, the Lincoln challenging the Protean Five, composed of the Cadet Officers. The play of both teams was full of snap and rush, the first half ending 12—6 in the officers' favor. The last half was wholly with the Lincolns, who with their fast passing tactics swept the officers clear off the floor, in spite of desperate attacks and repeated on-rushes. The final score chalked down was Lincoln Five 38; Protean Five (23). The individual starrings of both teams was much in general, Cadet Captain Guinta for the officers and Cadet Krishinsky for the Lincolns. The score:—

Lincoln Five 38	Protean Five 23
Krishinsky	L.F. Schnapp
Sussman	R.L. Herdfelder
Ch. Guinta	C. Guinta
McVernon	L.G. M. Cohen
Bellin	R.G. Orman

Goals from the floor—Krishinsky, 7; Uhl, 7; Guinta, 4; Sussman, 8; Herdfelder, 3; Schnapp, 2; McVernon, 2. Goals from foul—Guinta, 3; Schnapp, 2; Bellin, 2. Referee—Quartermaster C. C. Altenderfer. Time of halves—fifteen minutes.

"TALKATIVE DUMMY" SENTENCED

HAMLET, N. C. March 4.—Much enthusiasm was manifested Saturday morning when Clarence Angel was arraigned for trial before Recorder H. P. Austin. Angel's arrest was caused a few days ago when it became known that he was posing as a deaf and dumb mute, and soliciting contributions. He presented prospective donors with a petition, purporting to be signed by Dr. Frank Smith, city hospital, Jacksonville, Fla., stating therein that his affliction was caused by brain fever. It, however, developed that Angel could speak very fluently when he returned to his boarding place at night, and this seemingly paradox was reported to Chief of Police J. S. Braswell, who arrested the "Talkative Dummy."

Upon being searched it was found that he was heavily loaded with artillery, having three revolvers, two in a suit case, and one on his person. He could not account to the recorder why he had the gun on his person, except that it must have been slipped in his pocket by someone; he had other contrabands also that could not be accounted for, one a physician's pocket surgical case with instruments. His petition showed there were quite a number of generous donors, the amounts varying from 10 cents to \$2.00. Recorder Austin could not well concur with Angel's plea of nolo contendere, nor could he entertain the plea for another chance; but on the contrary told Angel that he considered his case very flagrant, and that he was just about as mean as a man got. The recorder seemed puzzled when it came to the question of pronouncing sentence, and found it necessary to first refer to the statute for the limit, and accordingly sentenced the prisoner to 18 months on the road.—*Greensboro Daily News.*

Rev. B. R. Allabough's Appointments.

(1123 Detroit Ave., Lakewood, Ohio.)

MARCH
18—Lancaster (St. James'), 10:30 A.M.
Harrisburg (St. Andrew's), 8:30 P.M.
York (St. John's), 6:30 P.M.
23—Reading (Christ Chapel), 8:00 P.M.
24—Allentown (Church of the Mediator), 8:00 P.M. Lecture.
25—Wilkes Barre (St. Stephen's), 2:00 P.M.
Scranton (St. Luke's), 4:30 P.M.
31—Toledo (Trinity Chapel), 7:45 P.M. Lecture.

APRIL
1—Toledo, 11:00 A.M. (Holy Communion).
Detroit (St. John's Chapel), 4:30 P.M.
Baptism and Preparation for Confirmation, 7:00 P.M. Confirmation and Holy Communion.
2—Grand Rapids (St. Mark's Chapel), 7:30 P.M.
3—Kalamazoo (St. Luke's), 7:30 P.M.

The Rev. F. C. Smielan, of Central Pennsylvania, will take duty for the Rev. Mr. Allabough, at the following places:
MARCH
17—Akron, O. (Frats' Hall), 7:45 A.M. Lecture.
18—Cleveland (Grace Church), 10:45 A.M. Holy Communion; 3:00 P.M. Service; 4:00 P.M. Bible Class.
Akron, 7:00 P.M. Bible Class; 7:45 P.M. Service.
24—Detroit (Frats' Hall), 7:45 P.M. Lecture.
25—Detroit (St. John's Chapel), 10:45 A.M. Holy Communion and 3:00 P.M. Toledo (Trinity Chapel), 7:45 P.M.

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Fifth Sunday, Ante-Communion and Catechism, 8:15 P.M.
Bible Class Meeting, every Sunday except the First, 4:30 P.M.
Guild and other Meetings, every Friday, except during July and August, 8 P.M.
Frederick—St. Paul's Mission, All Saints' Church, Second Sunday, 11 A.M.
Hagerstown—St. Thomas' Mission, St. John's Church, Second Sunday, 8 P.M.
Cumberland—St. Timothy's Mission, Emmanuel Church, Second Sunday, 8 P.M.
Other Places by Appointment.

TENTATIVE PROGRAM OF THE TWENTY-FIRST MEETING OF THE CONVENTION OF AMERICAN INSTRUCTORS OF THE DEAF.

AMERICAN SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT

Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Monday, Tuesday,
June 29, 30, July 1, 2, 3, 1917
FRIDAY, JUNE 29

GENERAL SESSION

Opening of Convention
Address of Welcome
Response
KINDERGARTEN SECTION

Mrs. A. RENO MARGULIES, Chairman
Friday morning, June 29
Paper: "Some Recent Education Experiments and their Relation to Schools for the Deaf," Mrs. A. RENO MARGULIES.

Discussion.
Paper: "The Reconstructed Kindergarten" (Illustrated), Miss PATTY HILL, Director, Department of Kindergarten Education, Teachers' College, Columbia University.

Discussion.
Paper: "Montessori Education Continued in Elementary Grades" (with demonstration of Dr. Montessori's new material for children from 6 to 9 years of age), Miss BERTHA CHAPMAN, Director, Elementary Department, Montessori School, Washington, D. C.

Discussion.
General Discussion of Kindergarten Questions, in charge of Chairman of Section.

Daily illustration of rhythm work with very young children in class-room, by pupils of Mrs. MARGULIES.

Daily Demonstration of Beginning Work, by pupils of Rhode Island School, directed by Mrs. E. G. HURD. (a) Development through Montessori Method Applied; (b) Method of Communication; (c) First Efforts at Expression; (d) Development of Voice, Tone Work, Miss THOMASON; (e) First Articulate Speech and Language.

Industrial Section

DR. WARREN ROBINSON, Chairman
Friday afternoon, July 29.
Address: MR. SAMUEL GOMPERZ, President of the American Federation of Labor.

Paper: "Discussion of the Results of Agricultural Instruction in the Schools for the Deaf in the United States and Canada," SUPT. E. MCKAY GOODWIN.
Discussion.
Paper: "Agriculture and the Deaf: Statistics, Opinions, and Suggestions by the Deaf of the Country," DR. WARREN ROBINSON.

Discussion.
Paper: "What Part is the Deaf Woman to Play in the Agricultural Movement among the Deaf?" MISS ELIZABETH DE LONG.

Discussion.
General Discussion of Industrial Topics. Joint Agricultural Exhibit by the Schools and the Deaf of the Nation.

Friday evening, June 29.
Reception by PRINCIPAL AND MRS. WHEELER.

GENERAL SESSION

Normal Section
Miss SARAH HARVEY PORTER, Chairman
Saturday morning, June 30
Address: DR. JOHN DREWY, Columbia University.

Paper: "Language Teaching," DR. S. C. DAVIDSON.
Discussion.
Paper: "Number Work," Mrs. T. F. DRISCOLL.

Discussion.
Paper: "The Training of Teachers of the Deaf," DR. A. L. E. CROUTER.

Discussion.
Lectures on Normal Training, Mr. A. J. WINNIK, Director, Department for Training Teachers of the Deaf, Milwaukee State Normal School.

Number work, illustrated daily by Mrs. DRISCOLL, with pupils of the Hartford School.

Art Section

Mrs. O. A. BETTS, Chairman
Saturday afternoon, June 30
Address:—
Discussion.

Paper: "Gallaudet College and Vocational Training," DR. CHARLES R. ELY, Professor of Natural Science, Gallaudet College.

Discussion.
Paper: "Art as a Means of Education," Miss HELEN E. CLEAVES.

Paper: "Physical Education for the Deaf," Miss HANNAH LUCAS MATHEWS.

Saturday Evening, June 30
Dancing in Gymnasium
Sunday July 1
Sermon for the Deaf, by Rev. J. H. CLOUD, D.D.

Paper: "Religious Training," REV. UTTEN E. READ.
Discussion.

Paper: "Ethical Training," Mr. J. A. McFARLANE.
Discussion.

Paper: "Training in Manners," Miss PAULINE JONES.
Discussion.
Sermon by Hartford minister on lawn in evening.

Auricular Section.

MISS PATTIE THOMASON, Chairman
Monday morning, July 2.
Discussion.

Paper: "History of Auricular Work in the New York Institution," Mr. E. H. CURRIER.
Discussion.

Demonstration by Pupils of the N. Y. Institution in charge of Miss Amelia E. Berry.

Paper: "The Partially Deaf Child—A School Problem," Mr. JOHN D. WRIGHT.
Discussion.

Paper, "The Preservation of Hearing in Children," DR. HAROLD HAYS.
Round Table Discussion.

The Possibilities of Instrumental Music for the Deaf will be demonstrated by the Fanwood Military Band. There will also be exhibition drills by the Fanwood Cadets.

Topics, "Questions from the Question Box."
Monday afternoon, July 2.

Report of Treasurer and Executive Committee.
Election of Officers.
Monday Evening, July 2.

Moving Picture Exhibition in the Chapel.
Entertainment by members of the Convention.

Oral Section

PRINCIPAL E. C. GRUVER, Chairman
Tuesday morning, July 3
Paper: "A Plan for Measuring the Improvement of the Speech of Deaf Children," DR. HARRIS TAYLOR.

Discussion.
Paper: "Suggestions for Improving the Quality of the Voice," Demonstration; Class-Room Exercises for Voice Development; Inflection, Miss PATTIE THOMASON.

Paper: "Education and Development of Oma Simpson." Illustrated by OMA SIMPSON, a deaf-blind pupil, Miss SOPHIA ALCON.

Discussion.
General daily practice work by pupils of the Hartford School.

Wilmington, Del.

There were two birthday parties at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Lindell Fell, in honor of Mrs. Fell and Mrs. Emma Rival, of Philadelphia, on Saturday night, February 24th. It being their birthdays—on the 23d for Mrs. Rival, the 25th for Mrs. Fell. The dining room was beautifully decorated. The friends and relatives were served with ice-cream and cakes of several kinds. Mrs. Fell and Mrs. Rival were the recipients of many useful and pretty gifts. Those who attended the parties besides the family and relatives were: Mr. and Mrs. Fell, Mrs. Emma Rival, of Philadelphia, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Scudder, of this city, Mr. and Mrs. Bowdle, Messrs. Maurice Fell, Thomas Keelins, Miss Anna Bennett, all of this city. And the out-of-town visitors were: Mrs. William Fries and Mr. Joseph Thomas, of Blue Ball, Md., and Mr. and Mrs. Andrew C. Seay, of this city.

Mr. Lewis Long and his brother, Arthur, of Philadelphia, are now additions to our deaf society. We extend them a royal welcome to stay with us all the time. They are employed in the car shop of Harlem and Hollingsworth, Corp. Ship yards.

Mr. Joseph Thomas was a visitor in Philadelphia some time ago, now is a guest at Mr. and Mrs. Lindell Fell.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Detweiler, of Philadelphia, are visiting the latter's mother in this city. We are sorry to say we didn't see them while in town.

Mrs. Andrew C. Seay's mother, Mrs. W. A. Cox, has returned home from two months' stay in Florida.

Miss Agnes Slater, formerly of this city, and her family, have moved to Philadelphia, to make that city their home.

Miss Florence Johnson, one of the attractive girls here, has been in Washington, D. C.

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St. Mark's Church, Brooklyn. Every Sunday, 3 P.M.
Holy Communion, March 25th.
Litany every Wednesday, 8:15 P.M.

MARCH.

18—Trinity Church, Newark, N. J., Holy Communion, 3 P.M.
25—St. Peter's Church, Port Chester, Holy Communion, 11 A.M.
—Gallaudet Home, 10:30 A.M.
—St. George's Church, Newburgh, 3:30 P.M.

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